COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF Docket No. TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity) 55508 (45487) In Re Application Of: Bjarne Due LARSEN FEB 0 5 2004 Serial No. Filing Date Examiner Group Art Unit 09/341,590 July 12, 1999 Lukton, D. 1653 PHARMACOLOGICALLY ACTIVE PEPTIDE CONJUGATES HAVING A REDUCED TENDENCY Invention: TOWARDS ENZYMATIC HYDROLYSIS TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of September 23, 2003 in the above-identified application. The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): One month ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months December 23, 2003 from: until: February 23, 2004 Date Date A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27: is enclosed. A has already been filed in this application. The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below: **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** HIGHEST # **CLAIMS REMAINING** NUMBER EXTRA **ADDITIONAL** RATE AFTER AMENDMENT PREV. PAID FOR CLAIMS PRESENT FEE **TOTAL CLAIMS** 20 \$0.00 0 Х \$9.00 INDEP. CLAIMS 3 0 х \$43.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 FEE FOR AMENDMENT \$210.00 FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME \$210.00 TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME

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AMENDMENT UNDER 35 USC §1.111

In response to the office action dated September 23, 2003, the period for response having been extended two months by virtue of the attached Petition For Extension of Time and requisite fee, Applicant requests reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.